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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Salmon et al.  
Serial No.: 09/943,673  
Title: THREAD CONSISTENCY SUPPORT SYSTEM AND METHOD  
Filed: August 31, 2001  
Group Art Unit: 2126  
Examiner: Qing Yuan Wu

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action\* mailed on December 2, 2004:

A Petition for an Extension of time for one month is filed concurrently herewith.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

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